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Proposal Review Panel for Physics; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub., L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

NAME AND COMMITTEE CODE: LIGO Operations Review for the Division of Physics (1208) – LIGO Livingston Observatory Site Visit

DATE AND TIME: June 19, 2018; 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM
June 20, 2018; 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM
June 21, 2018; 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

PLACE: LIGO Livingston Observatory, 19100 Ligo Ln, Livingston, LA 70754

TYPE OF MEETING: Part-Open

CONTACT PERSON: Dr. Mark Coles, Program Director, Division of Physics, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room W 9216, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: (703) 292-4432.

PURPOSE OF MEETING: Site visit to provide an evaluation of the progress of the projects at the host site for the Division of Physics at the National Science Foundation.

AGENDA:

June 19, 2018

08:30am-09:15am	Executive Session	CLOSED
09:15am-09:45am	Welcome	OPEN
09:45am-10:30am	LIGO Laboratory Management	OPEN
10:30am-10:40am	Break	
10:40am-12:00pm	LIGO Detector Commissioning and Upgrades	OPEN
12:00pm-01:00pm	Lunch	
01:00pm-01:45pm	LIGO Scientific Program	OPEN
01:45pm-02:30pm	LIGO Computing	OPEN
02:30pm-03:15pm	LIGO Laboratory LIGO-India Program	OPEN
03:15pm-03:30pm	Break	
03:30pm-04:15pm	LIGO Laboratory Education and Public Outreach	OPEN
04:15pm-05:30pm	Panel Executive Session	CLOSED

June 20, 2018

09:00am-11:00am	LIGO Laboratory Education and Public Outreach	OPEN
11:00am-02:00pm	American Physical Society Ceremony	OPEN
02:00pm-04:00pm	LIGO Gravitational-wave Science	OPEN

04:00pm-05:30pm	LIGO Laboratory Management/Budget I Executive Session	CLOSED
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June 21, 2018

09:00am-10:00am	Responses to Committee Questions	OPEN
10:00am-12:00pm	LIGO Computing	OPEN
12:00pm-01:00pm	Lunch	
01:00pm-03:30pm	Executive Session	CLOSED
03:30pm-04:00pm	Close Out Briefing	OPEN

REASON FOR CLOSING: The work being reviewed during closed portions of the site visit include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries and personal information concerning individuals associated with the project. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: May 22, 2018.

Crystal Robinson,
Committee Management Officer.

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